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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Dear Honorable Commissioner:

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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND FEE AUTHORIZATION

In connection with the above identified application, Applicants respectfully submit the following documents:

Notice of Appeal; and 1.

Petition for Two Month Extension of Time. 2.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$920.00, along with any additional fees that may be required for this submission, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 03-3345.

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